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Response Due Date 08/14/2012

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00147686

REFERENCE: 12 DAY PRE-PRIMARY REPORT (04/01/2012 - 05/16/2012)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 4 item(s):

- 1. The beginning cash balance of this report does not equal the ending balance of your 2012 April Quarterly Report. Please correct this discrepancy and amend all subsequent reports that may be affected by the correction. (2 U.S.C. § 434(b)(1) and 11 CFR § 104.3(a)(1))
- 2. The totals listed on Line(s) 6(a), 6(c), 11(a)(iii), 11(e), 16, Column B of the Summary and Detailed Summary Page(s) appear to be incorrect. Column B figures for the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages should equal the sum of the Column B figures on your previous report and the Column A figures on this report. Please file an amendment to your report to correct the Column B discrepancies for this report and all subsequent report(s) which may be affected by this correction. Note that Column B should reflect only the election cycle-to-date totals (11/3/10 through 11/6/12). (2 U.S.C. § 434(b) and 11 CFR § 104.3)
- **3.** Itemized disbursements must include a brief statement or description of why each disbursement was made. Please amend Schedule B supporting Line 17 of your report to clarify the following description(s): "4/23/12 F/R Event," "Administrative Services," "Campaign Field Program," and "Production Costs." For further guidance regarding acceptable purposes of disbursement, please refer to 11 CFR 104.3(b)(4)(i)(A).

Additional clarification regarding inadequate purposes of disbursement